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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the September Term, A. D. 1888.

Phillips, Dodge & Palmer vs. George W. Cowles.

Take notice, is hereby given to the said defendant, George W. Cowles, that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said County of Macon, dated the 6th day of April, A. D. 1888, against the said plaintiffs, Phillips, Dodge & Palmer, partners, and against the funds, goods, chattels, rights, moneys and credits of said defendant, George W. Cowles, for the sum of seven hundred and twenty-one dollars, directed to the Sheriff of Macon county, to execute, which suit is now pending in the Circuit Court of Macon county, and said writ has been returned executed by attachment in Macon county, to wit: Lot Twelve (12) in Block No. Two (2) in Dunlap's first addition to the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, taken as the property of said defendant, George W. Cowles, by the sheriff, April, A. D. 1888.

Now, therefore, unless you the said defendant, George W. Cowles, shall personally be and appear before the said Circuit Court of Macon county, at the next term thereof, to be holden at the court house in the city of Decatur, beginning on the fourth Monday of September, A. D. 1888, and plead, within the time allowed for you to plead, to said suit, judgment will be entered against you, and in favor of said plaintiffs, for the sum of the said attached as may be sufficient to satisfy said judgment and costs, will be sold to satisfy the same.

J. McCHESNEY, Clerk.

L. L. BURGESS, Plaintiff's Attorney.

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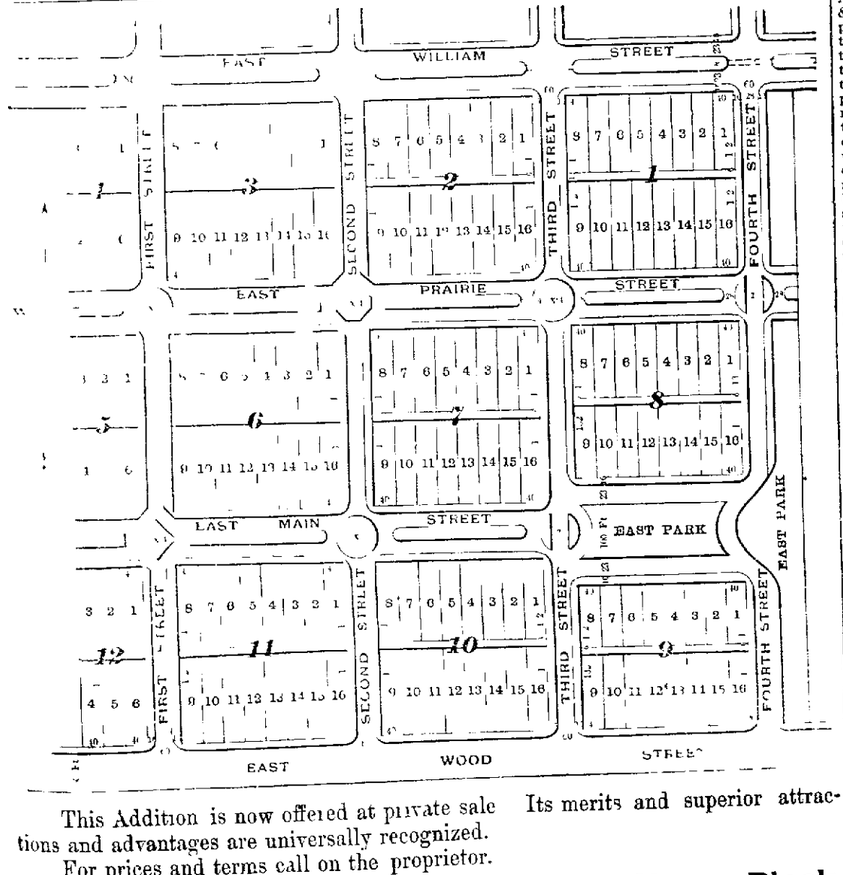

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OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

SOME OF THE MILLIONAIRES OF THE TEEMING METROPOLIS

Not a Few of New York's Rich Men Were Once Poor Boys and Have Achieved Wealth by Persistent Effort—Sage, Mott, Grace Flint, Fales and Hinrichs.

[Special Correspondence.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—There are rich men to whom the question of the surplus ought to be, if it is not, as embarrassing a question as it is in American politics. They are engaged in no pursuits either hobbies or amusements, which call for the expenditure of their great incomes. They live moderately and plainly considering their means, and they do not, at least so far as the world knows, give away considerable sums.

Such a man is Russell Sage. Plain and homely as he is in personal appearance that appearance does not belie the simplicity of his life. To be sure, he lives in a costly mansion on Fifth avenue, which is furnished suitably though not extravagantly but his personal habits are of the plainest, and the amount he allows himself for pocket money would not be extravagant for his head clerk. His wardrobe is replenished when necessity dictates at some cheap ready made clothing store, and his meals, outside of his own house, are exceedingly frugal. Anecdotes of his great cleverness in money matters are frequently told in the papers, but like all other millionaires he receives begging letters by the score, and, unlike some, he pays not the slightest attention to any of them.

What his home life is it would be hard to say, for he does not cultivate society nor entertain to any extent. His surplus dollars are kept to rub together and so get more, though he is said on the very best authority to be worth over $40,000,000. He is not unpleasant in manner, though sometimes brusque to a degree, and is exceedingly sensitive to comment in the public prints.

Such a man, on the other hand is not Jordan L. Mott. He has never in his life known what it is to need money, having inherited a large fortune and an enormous business from his father and while he has always lived generously, and even sumptuously and has even bought liberally of pictures—a most expensive amusement—he has not been a squanderer. Mr. Mott is not less than 60 years old, and is portly and quite gray. He is given to jollity, however and thereby has preserved a youthfulness of appearance as well as of spirits.

He lived until within a few years in the old Mott mansion on Third avenue, just above the Mott Haven draw bridge, but the increase of travel directly by his door brought with it an influx of poor neighbors and he bought a beautiful place on the upper part of Fifth avenue where he has settled his family, probably for some generations to come. It is a city house, but the surrounding grounds are so ample that he enjoys the luxury of the country in his living. The house is furnished with extreme elegance, and is crowded with the art treasures which he has accumulated by a quarter of a century of intelligent buying for he is known as one of the keenest connoisseurs in oil paintings in the New York market.

Mr. Mott has been known in the Democratic party for many years as one of the most intelligent advisers in its councils but has always preferred to be merely an adviser rather than an office holder. He was prevailed upon some ten years ago to run for president of the board of aldermen, but no one recognized more quickly than he did that he was the right man in the wrong place there, and since then he has expressed great disgust with politics. He bothers himself little with the details of his great iron business, though he oversees it carefully almost every day. He does not believe in early hours, is somewhat of a sybarite in all ways, being a bon vivant at the table and a lover of pleasure in many forms, a keen joker, and appreciative of wit in others. Delmonico's is his favorite club, and he is a remarkably good poker player.

He is exceeding proud of his two sons and is a whole souled hearty friend, whose favors are more apt to take the shape of services rendered than of money advanced.

Ex-Mayor Grace has not the gift of attracting personal liking which is Mr. Mott's great characteristic. Although he is genial in manner and seemingly frank in his expressions, it is difficult, even for a stranger, to get rid of the impression that Mr. Grace is trying to work some diplomatic 'point' in the simplest conversation.

He has not always been a very rich man. It is not generally known that the first notable start that he had toward being a millionaire was effected through his partner, Charles R. Flint then a young man just out of the Brooklyn Polytechnic. The ex-mayor was an energetic merchant in Pine street who upon very little capital had built up a large business. To secure the money necessary to extend his commercial relations he gave Flint a part interest in the house and received therefor, it is said $40,000 from the latter's father, a wealthy Brooklynite. While the cash proved of the greatest benefit to the new partnership the new partner was a far more valuable acquisition. By undertaking and successfully putting through a heavy contract to supply a Peruvian capitalist with costly modern machinery, he won the good will of the mercantile world of the west coast of South America and gave the firm of W. R. Grace & Co. an invaluable reputation for enterprise, ability and trustworthiness. While the firm did not realize a very large profit on this first contract it more than trebled its trade with that part of the globe in less than two years and by 1880 became the most powerful American house upon that continent. Immediately after the contract mentioned Flint and through Flint Grace perceived the vast future of electricity, and were among the first to largely invest their capital and brains in that field. They were members of the group which organized the United States Illuminating company and similar corporations and prime movers of the famous trust—the Gramme Electrical company. The two partners are credited with having cleared a million dollars in these enterprises alone.

Charles R. Flint is a good example of the few men born with a silver spoon who achieve another fortune by their own work. The son of a retired Brooklyn merchant, Benjamin Flint, he enjoyed all the advantages which wealth affords. After graduating with high honors at the Polytechnic, in which he had displayed strong literary tastes, he refused a college career, to the surprise of all his friends and at once entered commercial life under the direction of Mayor Grace, then a young but successful merchant. He became very popular in his business relations, and displayed so much ability that his father bought him an interest in the house and he became a junior partner. His first stroke was made shortly after. A Peruvian capitalist who was largely interested in sugar culture and other industries in which machinery is a chief factor, found himself unable to compete with his rivals. Finding that this inability was due to their using later and more efficient processes and apparatus, he published an offer for an entire

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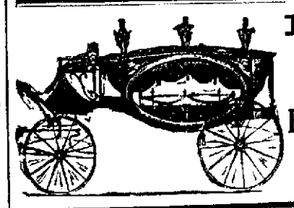

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Administrators' Notice for Final Settlement.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the County Court to the September Term, A. D. 1888.

In the matter of the Estate of David Florey, Deceased.

To the heirs, devisees, legatees, creditors and distributees of the estate of David Florey, late of said county, deceased:

You are hereby notified that the undersigned Administrators of the Estate of David Florey, deceased, will on the first Monday of the September Term, A. D. 1888, of the County Court of said county, or as soon thereafter as we can be heard, present to said Court a final report of our acts and doings as such Administrators and ask to be discharged.

WM. A. BROOKS,
JOHN DILLING,
Administrators.

J. A. BUCKINGHAM, Att'y for Adm'rs.

Aug18-d2w

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Master in Chancery's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In Circuit Court of Macon County—In Chancery. To June Term, A. D. 1888.

This suit is for lots 5 of Township Fifteen (15) North Range one (1) East of the Third P. M., vs. Alfred C. Miller et al.—Foreclosure. No. 11.

Public notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decree entered at the June Term, A. D. 1888, in the above entitled cause, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery of said Macon County, Illinois, will at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon on

Saturday, the 22d Day of September, A. D. 1888,

at the west outside door of the Court House in Decatur, said Macon County, sell at public vendue to the highest and best bidder, the following described real estate, lying and being in the county of Macon, State of Illinois, to wit: Commencing at the southeast corner of Section Five (5), Township Fifteen (15) North, Range Three (3) East of the 3d P. M., thence west eighty (80) rods, thence north forty (40) rods, thence east forty (40) rods, thence north fourteen (14) rods, thence east forty (40) rods, thence south fifty four (54) rods to the place of beginning, also commencing at the southeast corner of Section Five (5), Township Fifteen (15) North, Range Three (3) East of the 3d P. M., thence east forty (40) rods, thence north forty (40) rods, thence west forty (40) rods, thence south forty (40) rods to the place of beginning, or so much thereof as shall be necessary to realize the amount due the complainant.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash, subject to redemption as required by law.

Dated at Decatur, Ill., this 14th day of August, A. D. 1888.

JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery of Macon County, Illinois.

W. G. COCHRAN, Complainant's Solicitor.

Aug14-d20d

Administrator's Final Settlement.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
COUNTY OF MACON, }

In the County Court of Macon County, Illinois, to the September Term, A. D. 1888.

To the heirs, creditors and distributees of the estate of Jacob Spangler, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, administrator of said estate, will on the 10th day of September, A. D. 1888, or as soon thereafter as he can be heard, present to said court his final report of his acts and doings as such administrator, when and where you can appear and resist an order of discharge and contest said report if you see fit.

C. H. GARVER, Administrator.

J. A. BUCKINGHAM, Att'y for Adm'r.

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MONDAY EVE, SEPT. 3, 1888.

"No Irish need apply"—especially Irish Republicans.—G. C.

CIVIL Service Reform is a good thing, on general principles, but there are times when the rules have to be suspended, and just before the election is one of the times.

BEN BUTLER has pronounced against Cleveland's free trade policy. Now look out for the revival of that spoon story by the Democratic press.

GEN HARRISON will leave Middle Bass Island to-day for Indianapolis. His vacation of two weeks has been a season of genuine rest, and has benefited him very much.

THE people are entitled to an efficient mail service, but when a Republican postal clerk "talks too much" the people can have their mail matter handled by greenbacks and delayed accordingly. The Republican who is in the mail service must go, especially if he is an Irishman.

JEHU BAKER was renominated for congress on Saturday at Alton by the Republicans. That he will be elected is a moral certainty. The man who could beat Bill Morrison two years ago will have no difficulty in beating anybody this year.

INDIANAPOLIS *Journal*: Secretary Fairchild is now reported to be the author and originator of that celebrated fisheries message. Poor Cleveland is at the mercy of his friends. There was Mr Mills who instigated, if he did not write, that unfortunate wool message, and now Fairchild has victimized his chief. Pity the sorrows of a big fat man.

Mr. Blaine on the President's Error.

In this article on "The President's Error," in *The American Magazine* for September Mr Blaine says:

Strangely enough the President neglects either from design or oversight, to notice what effect the serious reduction of tariff would have on the 1,810,256 men employed in transportation, viz: on the railroads, coast-wise vessels, river steamers and barges, canal, wagon and stage lines. These varied ways of transportation represent an investment of thousands of millions of dollars of American money and give employment to nearly two millions of men, whose earnings support nine millions of people. Whatever impairs American manufacturing, strikes at the great transportation interests. Iron ore, admitted free from Spain, coal admitted free from Nova Scotia, wool admitted free from Australia, all favor British ships at the expense of American railroads. The further the President goes in the direction of the doctrine laid down in his message the more direct and the more deadly is the assault upon the whole organization of American industries.

A Successful Enterprise

That Decatur is growing at a very satisfactory rate is apparent to everybody who takes the trouble to go around and see the improvements. New houses are springing up in all directions, and before long there will not be a single vacant lot in the older portions of the city. On every street in the outskirts new houses are going up, and the new additions are filling up rapidly. This is especially true of Mr. J. M. Clokey's addition, East Park Boulevard. Last fall the 40 acres now comprising the addition were a field in the old Allen farm. Not a single stroke of work had been done to change its character. With his accustomed energy Mr. Clokey, immediately after he purchased the tract, put graders to work, streets were laid out and graded in the most complete style, boulevards were laid out and brought to grade, trees were planted, flower beds made and the lots were put upon the market. Although the year has been one of great depression in business and tightness in monetary affairs, nearly half of the lots have been sold, over a dozen houses are already up and a good many more will be built before snow flies. A list of the lots sold is given elsewhere with the price paid for each, which shows that the inquiry for lots has been lively and that the prospects are fair for the whole addition to be sold out this fall. The location of these lots is most desirable and delightful, the drainage is perfect and the surroundings are delightful. There is no reason why these lots should not be a profitable investment. The industry of property in every part of the city is upward and inside lots become scarcer the prices of outside property will be affected in the same manner. Mr Clokey need feel no nervousness as to the success of his venture. He will sell all of his lots without trouble in the near future, and there will be a market for his next addition of forty acres, which it is understood will be his next real estate movement.

Campaign Chat

Mrs. Lucetta V. Babcock, wife of B. B. Babcock, of the Union Iron Works, has returned from a visit to various points in Ohio. While at Gallipolis, Ohio, she came in possession of a valuable collection of 1840 campaign and other relics owned by her father, William Henry Harrison Fillmore, who voted for Tippecanoe Harrison in 1840. One is a badge of the campaign illustrated with ship, log cabin and cider barrels, inscribed "Fulton Tippecanoe Club, Battle of the Thames, Oct 5, 1813—It has Pleased Providence Harrison and Tyler—True Democracy, Government by the People, not a Party." Another is a faded pocket map of the United States, printed over 50 years ago, which shows Missouri as a territory, and names but four towns in Illinois, Chicago, Peoria, Vandalia, Edwardsville, Keskaskia and America.

General Martin, chairman of the Illinois Republican State Central committee, has secured a very appropriate medal which he is having distributed to the members of the Tippecanoe clubs over the state. It is made of gilt and has the bust of William Henry Harrison on one side with this inscription "Major General W. H. Harrison, born Feb 9, 1773." On the other side a log-cabin is stamped with the wording "The People's Choice in the Year 1840." It is about the size of a silver quarter, and is rather a handsome souvenir.

DeWitt County Fair.

The I. C. R. R. will sell excursion tickets from Decatur to Clinton at 90 cents for the round trip on Sept 10th to 14th, good to return on the 15th, on account of the fair. 27-td

BURNED TO DEATH.

An Appalling Disaster at a Baltimore (Md.) Conflagration.

Nine Firemen Caught Under a Falling Wall, and Seven of Them Burned to Death.

The Two Who Were Rescued Taken Out in a Terribly Burned and Disfigured Condition.

BALTIMORE, Md, Sept 3—One of the most disastrous fires known to life and property that has occurred in this city for many years broke out at half past four o'clock yesterday morning at No 199 South Sharp street, and spreading with great rapidity on either side, destroyed seven fine four-story iron and brick front buildings on Sharp street and the back buildings of nearly the whole row of houses on Pratt street between Sharp and Hanover. The north wall of building No 199 Sharp street collapsed about 3:30 a m and buried nine of the firemen. Two of them, A. L. Rice and John Kelly, were taken out alive but very badly injured. Seven were killed. Their names are George Bowers, Thomas Wagner, Perry Ryan and John A. Comb, of No 2 truck company, and Harry Walker, James McFadden and George Kerlin, of No 7 engine company.

The loss will aggregate about $1,250,000 upon which there is an estimated insurance of $600,000. The heaviest losers fall on John King, president of the Fire Ranks Company, Edward Price & Co, J. H. Winchelman & Co, M. S. Levy & Son, Dobbs Mudge & Co, Tabb Bros & Dennock and Henry S. King & Sons.

The fire continued until about eleven o'clock, when it was got under control. The engines are still throwing streams on the smouldering heap of ruins, however. The buildings on Sharp street from No 197 to No 117 were swept clean, no one being left to tell the story of the fire. The rear building of Marquette on Lombard street was found with part of the roof from preceding further. The mates of the institution were all removed safely.

The firms of Tabb Bros & Dennock and Price & Co had large supplies of gun and rifle cartridges in stock. After the fire had begun to explode a little a quantity of gunpowder in a fusilade, the balls flying through the windows in all directions. Fortunately nobody was struck with the exception of one man, who was slightly wounded in the leg. Sharp Lyons, who owns the premises No 7 engine company and No 2 truck, lost his building, intending to rebuild it on Monday. Those in the street say that the side wall of No 199 was leaning far away and called to the men to come out. All of them were hastening out when the bracket on wall fell over and came crashing through the floors of No 199, one circle unfortunately from a number of men. Then all efforts were concentrated upon the pile of ruins under which the men lay groaning and writhing in torture. The groans of the men could be heard from this side of the street, but it was impossible to reach them, and was the cause of the delay. Half a dozen strong men were stationed on the pile and the flames were thus for a short time were subdued.

The men were taken from the wreck. Rice was rescued. His left arm was broken and badly mashed, but the surgeons think they can save it. Then Alfred Kelly and George Ryan. His right arm was broken and his side badly injured. The others were beyond help, and their bodies were taken out on a door and carried, torn and burnt, to the morgue, being recognized. Little last night.

All of the seven killed, whose names are given above, leave families to mourn their untimely end, except Harry Walker, who was a bachelor.

It is impossible to give anything like a correct list of losses and insurance.

Another Good Young Man Goes Wrong

LOUISVILLE, Ky, Sept 2—Left Louisville for a young man who came to this city from Pittsburgh about two weeks ago has disappeared and left a wife and family. He was well at family and as he offered a position in the entertainment and has made friends as well known with the secured the finest help and is one of several from Pittsburgh members. While first now in the city he took charge of a Sixth street house and commenced business. He, however, soon took to drinking and gambling. He was employed by a leading house as a salesman and was also correspondent for the Pittsburgh Dispatch, which he kept a glowing description of the city and its advantages. He afterwards took charge of the office of the Mills Bros and a bet on the sixth race was the ruin of his career. He with the firm left Pittsburgh two weeks ago, leaving a number of small debts behind. Living a month or two succeeded in getting away with twenty dollars of that establishment. He left his boarding house thirty five dollars in hand and took with him a Mauder Lady and the bride-to-be. He will, it is said, be Kosciusko is about to a young man of age and is a married.

A Serious Accident

LOSTBURG, Col, Sept 2—A serious accident occurred at a point about twenty miles from this city yesterday. One of the huge tanks of the Buckeye Pipe Line Company burst from its weight, scattering thirty five thousand barrels of oil along the track. Two men were caught in the wreck and thrown to the ground. The oil rushed on fire and in a few moments the whole mass was on fire. The engineer had just passed the wreck when the tank burst. The two men who were thrown down by the force of the oil were caught and were burned to a crisp. One was a new charred bones only. Some of the unfortunate men but a night watchman. Two were buried. One was a young man about twenty two years of age named Warrick, who has not been identified. He was a bachelor.

Complaints Withdrawn

NEW YORK, Sept 2—Brewer James P. Gallen, the Columbia Hotel guest who was mysteriously robbed on Saturday of $700 in cash, and had the money returned in his mail, stated that it was stolen while at the Central Market Police Court Saturday, at which the complaint against Patrick Murphy and Mary York, the porter and chambermaid of the hotel, and they were discharged. The hotel managers think the Murphy and Mary York were innocent of the charge.

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FROM WASHINGTON.

What Our National Law-Makers Are Doing to Earn Their Money.

Timely Relief to the Army—The Cotton-Bagging Trust—Democratic Ratification Meeting.

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Congressional Prospectus

WASHINGTON, Sept 3—Appropriation bills and the Fisheries question will continue to occupy a great deal of time in Congress this week. The Senate intends to take under consideration to-day the bill to admit to State hood Washington Territory. Mr Stewart of Nevada, who has charge of the measure, says he intends to push it to a conclusion beginning consideration immediately after the morning hour. On Tuesday Mr Pasco will speak in opposition to the Chandler resolution relating to election outrages in the South. A number of Senators are booked to speak on the Fisheries question and kindred objects. The committee on foreign relations have virtually taken up the consideration of the President's message on the Irish dynamite question, although it is not pending before the Senate. Yesterday it recalled Mr Sherman to report it to the committee. The committee on appropriations expect to report the Deficiency Appropriation bill also in the middle of the week.

To-day is individual suspension day in the House. Whether the committee on appropriations will oppose the observance of the order with the Sundry Civil Appropriations bill which is pending as unfinished business is not known. If the day is given up to individual motions to suspend the rules and pass bills upon their passage Mr Hooker of Mississippi will ask the House to pass his joint resolution placing cotton bagging on the free list. The chances now are that the bone of contention between the two houses—the house ordinance question—will be transferred from the Army Appropriation to the Deficiency bill and a prime and simple Army Appropriation bill be allowed to pass.

Members of the Senate appropriation committee believe, however, to have some assurance from members of the other appropriation committee, who are likely to be on the conference committee, that they will accept the Deficiency bill in its present shape or with reasonable modifications. Before adjourning the Senate amendments to the Army bill. Those who have such information believe that such assurances will be received from the House conferees. It is probable now that a fortification bill will be passed and will be no doubt changed considerably from its present shape, the one important feature which has provoked so much discussion—the appointment of a civilian board to report on the appropriations and estimates—is likely to remain.

Democratic Ratification Meeting Postponed

WASHINGTON, Sept 2—The grand Cleveland and Harrison ratification meeting which had been advertised for Thursday, September 6, was last night postponed until Wednesday, September 12. This action was taken by the central Democratic committee, which was in session the meeting which it was not to conflict with the Thurman meeting in New York on September 6. It is probable Mr Thurman will come from New York and address the meeting here. A long list of speakers will address the meeting, among the days are Senators Gorman, Vance, Faulkner and Blackburn and Congressmen Russell, Lee and Compton, Hon John Goode, Hon Kyle Douglas and Hon J. H. Murphy.

The Cotton Bagging Trust

WASHINGTON, Sept 3—The House committee on manufactures yesterday examined Mr Appleton Sturgis about the Cotton Bagging Trust. The testimony given by Mr Sturgis developed nothing new in regard to the trust. It related chiefly to the mills in which he is interested in New York and Brooklyn. He gave it his opinion that the bagging manufacturers combined possibly for trading with a view to the interests of the trust. Last year the price of bagging was cut down three quarters of a cent per yard, which, he thought, injured no one at all. It would cheapen the cost of the smaller mills and in every instance all the larger ones also.

Timely Relief to the Army

WASHINGTON, Sept 3—The passage of the deficiency appropriation bill, if it should be reported, would afford temporary relief to the army. The Department commander, Lieutenant General Sheridan, has made an urgent request for the passage of a joint resolution authorizing the Secretary of War to use the funds for the purpose of paying the officers who were directed to travel to certain points after the 1st of September to make the payment. Telegrams were sent by the Paymaster-General Saturday, directing payments to be made before their trips, which they have devised for the purpose of relief.

Pension Commissioner Black Reversed

WASHINGTON, Sept 2—Assistant Secretary Bussey yesterday reversed Pension Commissioner Black in holding that a soldier in the army for 90 days could draw a service pension. The Secretary held that the claimant, Jackson, was discharged by reason of disability under Section 4756, R. S., which provides that no person shall be held a pensioner, unless a marine corps shall be held a pensioner as an invalid and the pay is such.

Bond Purchases and Coinage.

WASHINGTON, Sept 3—Bond purchases aggregated $1,[illegible] on account of April 17 last, at prices ranging from [illegible] to [illegible] per cents, and [illegible] at prices ranging from [illegible] to [illegible] and half per cents. The aggregate [illegible] $1,112,992 and the four-and-a-half [illegible]. The total coinage of all denominations of gold, silver and minor coin during the month of August was 17,002,[illegible] pieces of the value of $[illegible].

Not Officially Informed

WASHINGTON, Sept 3—No information has been received at the State Department of the reported action of the Chinese Government in relation to the Chinese question, although it was reported on the subject by the American Minister in China. Secretary Bayard declined to be interviewed.

Public Debt Statement

WASHINGTON, Sept 3—The debt statement issued by the Treasury Department shows a reduction of the debt for August of $7,324,675, decrease since June 30, 1888, $11,461,974. Cash in Treasury available for reduction of debt, $361,212,801. Total debt, less available cash, $1,261,790,003.

More Pension Vetoes.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2—The President has returned without approval House bills granting pensions to Edwin J. Godfrey and John S. Bryant.

THE FIFTIETH CONGRESS.

(First Session).

HOUSE

WASHINGTON, Sept 1—Mr McCreary, from the committee on foreign affairs reported back the Retaliation bill and it was made the continuing special order for Tuesday next.

The conference report on the Sundry Civil Appropriations bill was taken up, and Mr. Breckinridge (Ky) moved to concur in the Senate amendment appropriating $250,000 for investigating the extent to which the arid region of the United States can be reclaimed by irrigation; with an amendment requiring the Directors of the Geological Survey to make an annual report to Congress of the result of his investigation and providing that the reclaimed land shall be reserved from sale and shall not be subject to entry, settlement and occupation until further provided by law.

Mr Breckinridge arguing in support of this amendment said irrigation of the arid lands was only a question of time. The question was not whether it would be done, but whether it would be done by the Government, in order that homes might be furnished to those who are now overcrowding the cities, or by private enterprise which would receive the pecuniary benefits flowing from it.

Mr Symes (Col) supported the amendment, and argued the necessity of the Government at once selecting sites for reservoirs before private corporations could obtain possession of the natural sites under the pre-emption laws.

Mr Cox (N Y) favored immediate investigation to ascertain on the proper system of turning these arid wastes into fertile regions.

Pending further discussion the House, at 5 p m, adjourned.

BASE BALL.

Games Played Saturday, September 1, 1888.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Pittsburgh—Pittsburghs 7, Detroits, 8
Indianapolis—Indianapolis 8, Chicagos, 5.
Philadelphia—Philadelphias, 8, Washingtons 1
Boston—New Yorks 7, Bostons, 2

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Pittsburgh—Brooklyns 2, Athletics 2
Baltimore—Louisvilles 9, Baltimores 8
Cleveland—Clevelands 6, Kansas Citys, 6
Cincinnati—Cincinnatis 2, Brooklyns, 2

YESTERDAY'S GAMES

Brooklyn—Brooklyns 5, Cincinnatis, 4
Cleveland—Clevelands 11, Louisvilles, 4

WESTERN ASSOCIATION

Kansas City—First game, Kansas Citys 8, Chicago Maroons 1. Second game, Kansas Citys 8, Chicago Maroons 2

Games To-Day

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Philadelphias at New Yorks, Washingtons at Boston, Pittsburghs at Indianapolis, Detroits at Chicagos.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Cincinnatis at Philadelphias, St Louis at Brooklyn, Louisvilles at Cleveland, Kansas Citys at Baltimore.

THE GRAND SCORE

The following tables show the standing of the clubs of the National League and American Association Saturday, September 1, 1888:

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Clubs	Played	Won	Lost	Per Cent
New York	111	72	39	648
Chicago	112	65	47	580
Detroit	110	63	46	573
Boston	110	58	52	527
Philadelphia	109	52	48	520
Pittsburgh	108	51	57	472
Washington	101	38	63	380
Indianapolis	101	37	64	366

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Clubs	Played	Won	Lost	Per Cent
St Louis	111	69	40	607
Athletics	98	61	37	622
Baltimore	98	60	38	612
Brooklyn	110	74	43	673
Louisville	104	61	43	586
Cleveland	[illegible]	47	30	581
Cincinnati	100	48	52	480
Kansas City	93	33	60	355

Transferred to the Maine Central

PORTLAND, Me, Sept 2—The Portland & Ogdensburg railroad was yesterday morning transferred to the Maine Central, and it now becomes a part of that system. It is to be called the Maine Central, without being designated as any special division.

Remarkable Case of Sudden Death

BUFFALO, N Y, Sept 2—While the funeral of Will Rose, of this city, was in progress a strolling band, one of the company's remains into St Joseph's Cathedral, said suddenly staggered and fell back dead.

Will Fight Against Extradition.

NEW YORK, Sept 3—Word comes from Shelbrook, Can, to the effect that defaulting Assistant Cashier Dobaum, of the Park National Bank of New York, has engaged counsel and will fight the extradition process in the courts.

Business Activity at Charleston.

CHARLESTON, S C, Sept. 3—The *News and Courier* published yesterday an elaborate statistical statement of the trade and business of Charleston the last year, showing an increase of over ten millions, which is mainly in the lines of business which help the Charleston people most.

Mrs Langtry's Departure

NEW YORK, Sept 2—Mrs Langtry, accompanied by two maids, sailed yesterday for Europe in the Etruria. She stated to a United Press reporter that her trip was purely for health, and that she will only be absent a short time.

A Desperado Riddled with Bullets.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark, Sept 3—T. C. Yates, a noted desperado, fired into a crowd Saturday in the Chickasaw Nation. The fire was returned, and Yates dropped from his horse, riddled with bullets.

Voluntary Advance of Wages.

PITTSBURGH, Pa, Sept 3—The Southwest Coke Company, of which H. C. Frick is president, has voluntarily increased the wages of its employes. The men (about seven hundred) will receive an advance averaging five per cent.

To Boston in a Shell

NEW YORK, Sept 3—George M. Johnson, a member of the Nonpareil Rowing Club left the club-house at 1:45 p m yesterday in a shell in which he will row to Boston. He expects to reach Boston in ten or twelve days.

Yellow Fever at Jacksonville

JACKSONVILLE, Fla, Sept 2—The official bulletin for twenty-four hours ending at 6 p m to-day reads as follows: New cases, 24; death, 2; total number cases to date, 296; total deaths to date, 8.

A Negro Burglar Shot and Killed

BIRMINGHAM, Ala, Sept 3—Thos. Chambers, a burglar, while trying to escape early this morning, was shot and killed by Police Officer J. S. Oldham.

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THE REJECTED TREATY.

What the California Senators and Representatives Think of the Situation.

General Approval of the Senate's Amendment of the Treaty as Submitted by the President,

And Belief That Its Rejection Will Lead to More Stringent Exclusion of Mongolians

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2—California Representatives in the House were all much interested in the news published yesterday morning to the effect that the Chinese Government had refused to ratify the new treaty with the United States. They are disposed, however, upon advice from the State Department, to await confirmation of the original dispatch before taking steps to meet the emergency.

Mr Morrow said that the Senate amendment to the treaty submitted by the President, was vital, and without it the treaty would be ineffective. It was this amendment which caused the rejection of the treaty by the Chinese Government. Yet, it was inserted to meet the decision of the Supreme Court and the amendment was in the very language of that part of the decision which pointed out the stipulation necessary to exclude Chinese from the United States—that no person should be permitted to enter the United States without the certificate provided for in the treaty. It had been the purpose of Congress to prevent the "prior residents" from returning to the United States, for otherwise all China might come in under a claim of prior residence, which it would be impossible to disprove.

Mr Morrow added that if the report of the rejection of the treaty should be confirmed, the California members would ask Congress to pass a bill requiring the President to give six months' notice to the Chinese Government that thereafter no Chinese except diplomatic, consular and other officers of the Chinese Government will be permitted to enter the United States. That notice would amount to the revocation and abrogation of all asserted rights of the Chinese to enter this country. Mr Morrow did not appear to fear retaliation by China, saying that there were but 621 Americans all told residents in that country. He believed that while the Chinese Government regarded the amended treaty as unduly stringent, the most potent reason for the rejection of the treaty was that it had probably been caught in the revolving wheels of diplomatic negotiations between China and Great Britain. The Chinese Government had protested strongly against the action of the British Government in returning a ship-load of Chinamen from Australia as an unfriendly act, and it was probable that in the ensuing negotiations the English Government had dragged into the discussion the policy of the United States, questioning the justice of the protest against the exclusion of Chinese from Australia, while the Chinese Government was about to ratify a treaty permitting the United States to reject such immigrants.

In Mr Morrow's judgment the rejection of the treaty would be advantageous to California in the end, as it would result in such legislation on the part of our Government as would effectually protect it against Chinese invasion. Further legislation would necessarily cover the defects of the existing treaty and existing legislation.

Mr. Vandever said it appeared that the Senate amendment had caused the rejection of the treaty, which had been ratified before the amendment was attached. Undoubtedly British influence had brought about the result.

Mr. Felton said he had regarded the treaty as worthless without the Senate amendments. Notwithstanding the claim that the Chinese Government does not desire its people to emigrate, the history of emigration for the last three hundred years disproved it, and the millions of money the emigrants yearly remit to China certainly made it desirable for the empire. He did not regard the rejection of the treaty as a cause for regret, he had never believed that the Chinese Government would negotiate a treaty that would effectually exclude Chinese from Western nations. Mr Felton believed that the people would secure the desired relief through legislation. He also believed that the agitation of the question in Australia was the real cause for the action of the Chinese Government, and added that if both political parties were in earnest in their expressions they might secure the passage of a bill, even during the present session of Congress, on the line of that already introduced by him and intended to secure the exclusion of the Chinese.

Mr. McKenna said: "The action of the Chinese Government simply relegates us back to where we were and allows us to enact whatever legislation we can under the existing treaty. It will have the effect to strengthen the feeling of the people on the subject." He added that he regarded the treaty as amended as an improvement on the original.

Mr Thompson the only Representative from California now at the capital, said: "If it is now a question between the exclusion of the Chinese and the abrogation of the treaty, I am for its abrogation. The Chinese must be excluded, even if it becomes necessary to wipe out the Burlingame treaty. I will say, however, that in my opinion the original treaty submitted to the Senate and ratified by the Chinese Government was amply sufficient to have effected the exclusion of the Chinese. It conceded the power of Congress to enact whatever legislation was necessary to do that, and the Senate amendments were unnecessary and resulted in the rejection of the treaty."

Senator Mitchell said: "If it is true that the Chinese Government has rejected the proposed treaty, I think it a most fortunate thing for the people of this country. The treaty as sent to the Senate by the President was, in my judgment, one that never should have received the sanction of our people, because it opened new doors by which Chinese could enter, which do not exist in the present treaty of this country. Of course, the amendments made by the Senate improved the treaty very greatly, but even with these amendments I do not think it meets the great evil against which it is directed. There is but one way to deal with the question, and that is to pass an act of Congress absolutely forbidding the coming of Chinese to this country, except diplomatic representatives, and absolutely preventing the return of those now here under any pretense whatever. For this is the character of a bill I introduced early in the session. It is not necessary for this Government to obtain the consent of any nation, either European or Asiatic, to the exclusion by legislation of persons or classes whom we may deem objectionable. That power inheres in the United States and its Congress.

Senator Jones, of Nevada, said: "There is nothing to say except that if the Statement that the treaty is rejected by China shall be confirmed officially, Congress ought immediately to pass a law excluding the Chinese. They must be kept out. We can not suffer an evil to continue and grow until it becomes intolerable merely for the sake of preserving a treaty which the unanimous judgment of the people of this country holds to be incompatible with our National welfare."

Senator Teller said: "I am glad of it. I hope the statement will be officially confirmed. This Government has the right to exclude any people it chooses to keep out. I opposed to excluding any body by treaty, because that is an admission that we can't exclude them without a treaty. This treaty may provide for the exclusion of the Chinese for twenty years. Now, supposing at the end of that time the Chinese Government refuses to make a new treaty, what kind of a fix would that leave us in?"

Baltimore Bankers Gone.

CHICAGO, Sept 2—The little town of Roseland, a suburb of Chicago, whose population is chiefly composed of Hollanders, is in a state of excitement over the disappearance of the officers of the savings bank of the village. The president of the bank, William Swart; its teller, L. H. Johnson, and its business solicitor, Elijah Lesser, have left town, taking with them the entire assets of the bank, amounting to between twenty-five and thirty thousand dollars. The vault, when opened yesterday afternoon, was found to contain only $116. The depositors are mostly small tradesmen and farmers of the vicinity. Swart had been speculating.

An Awful Double Tragedy

AGENDA, Kan, Sept 3—A horrible affair is reported from the neighborhood of Guide Rock, a small town just over the Nebraska line. John Baker, while feeding a threshing machine on the farm of a man named Weeks, was accidentally cut on the hand by the band cutter, by a boy. In a rage he grasped the boy and deliberately fed him into the machine, feet first. The boy's screams attracted the attention of the other hands, but before they could interfere the boy's body had half disappeared in the machine. The enraged men seized Baker and hurled him to the straw carrier.

Master Mechanic Smith Removed.

MATTOON, Ill, Sept 2—P. C. Smith, the master mechanic who was the chief cause of the recent strike on the Peoria, Decatur & Evansville railroad, is relieved from further duty at the shops in this city and C. C. Pierson is now in charge as general foreman of the shops and motive power at Mattoon. It seems the officials made good their promise to investigate and remedy the cause of the strike. Smooth sailing is promised on this line in the future.

Found Dead on His Knees

RALEIGH, N C, Sept 2—Rev. Dr. Fordyce M. Hubbard was found dead at his bedside here yesterday morning in the attitude of prayer. He was a native of Massachusetts and was for forty years professor of Latin at the university of this State. He was later rector of a church at Martins, N Y. He was a man of high culture, one of the best Latin scholars in the country and had written many biographies. His age was eighty years.

Bears Out the Theory of Suicide

CHICAGO, Sept 2—The police have found that Schuneman, whose death early Friday morning has been enveloped in mystery pawned his watch on Wednesday. The fact that the watch was missing when the body was found was regarded as a proof that Schuneman was murdered and robbed, but the police who have all along held that the case was one of suicide, claim that the discovery made yesterday bears out their theory that Schuneman killed himself.

Found Drowned

TROY, N Y, Sept 2—The body of P. M. Defrees, ex-supervisor and a well-known citizen, was found in the river at the foot of one of the principal streets yesterday morning. He was seen alive and well by friends in this city Friday night as late as one o'clock. His death was probably accidental, as no money and other valuables were found in his clothes when the body was recovered. Deceased was about sixty years of age.

Contract Labor Immigrants Detained.

NEW YORK, Sept 3—Among the detained immigrants at Castle Garden yesterday were Ernest Wilhelm Haswell, his wife and four daughters, all of whom came over under contract to work at Schmitt's sail cloth factory at Hartford, Conn. Schmitt paid their passage from Europe.

Arrested for Embezzlement

BOSTON, Sept 2—Edward Emerson, a conductor, and Daniel Griffin, a receiver employed by the West End Railroad Company, were arrested yesterday, charged with embezzling from the company. It is stated that other arrests will shortly follow.

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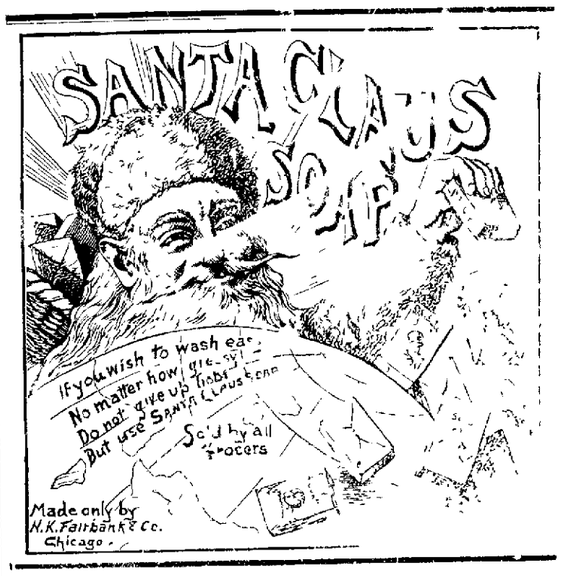

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Call for Meeting.

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A. Harpstrite, John Lindsay, F. Wedel, Walter Pope, Fred. Meyer, R. Betzer, R. F. Kincaid.

Notice.

Piano and organ pupils wishing to compete for prizes, to be given for regularity of attendance and best scholarship, must begin their lessons before September 10th. For further information see Miss Minnie Stickel, 526 North Church street. a30tf

Reunion of 116th Ill. Infantry.

The annual reunion of the 116th Illinois Infantry will be held in Decatur on Friday, Sep tember 7. All old soldiers with their families and friends are cordially invited to attend. Bring your baskets well filled and enjoy a genuine old time reunion. CAPT. L. N. MARTIN, V. P.

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DINGES & CLOYD.

MONDAY EVE., SEPT. 3, 1888.

LOCAL NEWS.

PIANO LAMPS, with handsome colored shades, at

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.'s.

LEAD pencils and pens at Irwin's.

THE teachers and pupils are at work again.

TELEPHONE to the Mound grocer for California fruits and fresh vegetables.

BERT STEWART will speak at Lincoln to-night.

THE Decatur Reds will play a nine of real live Indians at the ball park Thursday afternoon.

THERE was the usual fall rush at the book stores to-day by the school children.

FAMILY groceries, fruits and vegetables to suit you at Hanks & Patterson's popular store on South Water street.

THE latest popular sheet music, violins, accordeons and the famous Haines and Everett pianos, on sale at C. B. Prescot'ts store.

THE best School Shoes made, the Mundell Solar Tip and the "Gold Brick" line at Ferriss & Lapham's. sep3-tf

G. A. R. Cards at low prices at the REPUBLICAN office. dtf

THERE will be a "Mothers' Meeting" at the home of Mrs. C. M. Imboden, 409 S. Main street, on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

USE the celebrated White Foam flour, the family favorite.

THE W. C. Pitner photograph gallery has been moved from the Powers lot to the vacant lot between the first M. E. church and the new Roberts & Greene building.

BUY the best, the Meyer Rubber Boots, at Ferriss & Lapham's. sep3-tf

SELECT choice country butter and breakfast bacon at Knode & Osborne's grocery store.

SATURDAY evening Lyss Michael injured his head while swimming at the water works dam. In diving he struck his head on a stone and cut an ugly gash. Dr. W. J. Chenoweth dressed the wound.

JELLY GLASSES—plenty of them—at Harry Fisk's, Court House Block. 27-d6

L. C. ELLIS has purchased E. O. Shively's interest in the agricultural depot on South Main street, and is now sole manager of the establishment.

FRUITS of all kinds in great variety for canning purposes at Johnson & Spence's grocery store on Merchant street.

IT is no trouble for W. T. Stamper or R. C. Ringland to show those elegant rigs on sale at D. F. Hamsher's carriage and buggy depot.

WE are in receipt of a complimentary card of admission to the annual reunion of the Eastern Illinois Veterans' Association, to be held at Camp Phil Sheridan at Champaign, October 3 to 5. There will be 50 G. A. R. Posts represented. All comrades and citizens generally are invited to attend.

BUY family groceries at Moore Bros.' store in opera block. Goods delivered promptly to any part of the city.

HEADQUARTERS for Men's Heavy Boots, largest line and best, at Ferriss & Lapham's. sep3-tf

THE walk in front of Lytle & Eckels' hardware store has been all stove up for several days—so many of those fine heaters arriving. Buy one.

WHITE LOAF and Daily Bread flour, made by Shellabarger, can be had at all leading grocery stores.

OPENING of the Fall term of the Musical College Monday, Sept. 3rd. Pupils are especially requested to arrange for time before Sept. 1st. Corner Main and Wilham streets. aug4-td

You can get anything you want for the table at J. Lytle & Co.'s family grocery store in Opera block. Buy there.

Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde.

The *Century Magazine* for April contained an interesting article by Henry James, upon Robert Louis Stevenson, author of "The Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde." Mr. Stevenson is a native of Scotland, now on a visit to this country. He has been a life long invalid and has risen to fame quicker than any other literary personage of the times. "The Strange Story of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" was suggested to him in a dream. Its success has been instantaneous. Preachers have spoken upon it from the pulpit. Actors have dramatized it for the stage, and it has been translated into many different languages. Millions of readers have read it with breathless interest, and it is safe to say that millions yet unborn will devour its weird situations and terrible transformations of the good doctor into the monster Hyde. Notwithstanding the horrors of its situations it it teaches a good lesson, and no person either reading the story or witnessing the play but will be the better for it. Mr. Ober and an excellent supporting company will present "The Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," at the opera house, Wednesday night, September 5.

——Go to——

J. H. BEVANS' CITY BOOK STORE,

122 Merchant Street,

——FOR SCHOOL BOOKS,——

New or Second-hand.

Rather an Odd Time

To talk about stoves, but winter is coming and you will want to keep warm. Go to Harry Fisk, Court House Block, and examine the large stock of Stoves, Furniture, &c., &c., at prices that will surprise you. aug27-d1w

NOVELTIES in Ladies' Felt Hats, at B. STINE'S. dtf

MIKE DEMPSEY OFF DUTY.

A Republican Irishman Bounced from the Mail Service to Give Place to a Democrat.

This morning Will F. Snyder, late city editor of the *Herald* and president of the Young Men's Democratic Club, received official notice from Captain White, of Chicago, that he had been appointed to a clerkship in the Railway Mail Service, to go on duty at once. Mr. Snyder's run is on the Wabash between Chicago and St. Louis, the pay being $800 a year for the first six months and $1,000 a year thereafter, provided he passes the required examination. Mr. Snyder takes Michael Dempsey's place, and will leave for Chicago to-night.

Mr. Dempsey has been one of the most experienced and thoroughly efficient postal clerks in the service and has faithfully performed his duties. He is a representative Irish citizen, and has always been a Republican. Curious to learn why Mr. Dempsey should have been discharged so summarily, the REPUBLICAN reporter called on Postmaster Jack this forenoon to ascertain the cause, if possible. Mr. Jack pleaded entire ignorance of the cause, but stated that Mr. Dempsey had been fired and that Mr. Snyder would take his place. It was learned that Mr. Dempsey has been released because he had been talking too much. The real cause, however, is no doubt plain to every friend of the gentleman. It is because he is an Irishman and a Republican. No charge of inefficiency or neglect of duty in any respect, can be sustained against Mr. Dempsey, and therefore the local postmaster is ignorant of the cause of the removal. Sifted to the bottom, the change was made to give the place to a Democrat who wanted it, and the Irish Republican had to go.

The Band Concert.

The concert given at the ball park Sunday afternoon was attended by about 800 people, and was highly enjoyed by all present, the crowd being enthusiastic at times. The entertainment was given jointly by Goodman's Band of Decatur, and the Ringgold Band, of Terre Haute, Ind., both conceded to be the best organizations of their size in the country, and it was a privilege and a pleasure to hear them under such favorable circumstances. The following difficult programme was rendered, Prof. Walter giving "The Blue Bells of Scotland" in response to his warm encore:

RINGGOLD BAND.

1. "Fidlet of St. Wanst", Overture — *First*
2. "Alfida," Selection — *Verdi*
3. "Il Trovatore," Selection — *Verdi*
4. { Pizzicato Polka — *Strauss*
   { Serenade Espanola — *Schlepegrell*

SECOND PART.

GOODMAN BAND

1. Overture, "Wm. Tell" — *Rossini*
2. Musical Clock in the Black Forest — *Michaelis*
3. "Le pre aux cleres," by Clar. Solo Robert Walter. — *Auguste*
4. "Night Wandlers" — *Meskini*

THIRD PART.

RINGGOLD AND GOODMAN BANDS.

1. Overture, "Semiramide" — *Rossini*
2. "Hunting Scene," Descriptive — *Bergman*
3. "Mazeppa," Selection — *Verdi*
4. "Poet and Peasant," Overture — *Suppe*

It was difficult for the professed critics in the audience to decide which band excelled the other in execution. The selections by the Ringgolds were quite pleasing, especially the third and fourth numbers, the shading being effective and flawless, mainly due to the careful leadership of Prof. Ringgold. Both bands were cheered on their appearance, and each received full measure of applause as the selections were completed. Goodman's Band never played with better execution. They divided the honors with the visiting band. The concert closed with selections by both bands. The concert was a pronounced success, netting the organizations over $100.

Select Your Men.

The Republican primary meetings in Decatur township will be held to-morrow evening, when the polls will be open in each of the eleven districts to give the voters a chance to express their choice for representative and county officers. Each poll will be open from 4 to 7:30 p. m. Delegates will be chosen after the voting is through, and they will be instructed as the voters decide.

Sales of Real Estate.

Catherine Schwab to George J. Schwab, 78 acres in 5, 14, 1, Pleasant View township, $400.

Berry H. Cassell to Hilton Cassell, lot 3, block 2, Cassell's 6th addition, $100.

John Crocker to John H. Crocker, Lydia A. Emery and George Conover, quit claim to an undivided three-fourths interest in 21½ feet off west end of lot 11, block 3, town of Maroa, $3,000.

Charles F. Emery to John Crocker, quit claim to above property, $4,000.

Young Men's Republican Club.

The regular meeting of this club is postponed, on account of the Republican primaries, to Wednesday, Sept. 5, at 8 o'clock p. m.

E. W. HEILMAN, Pres't.

THE Lewis Literary Circle will meet Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 4th, at the house of Mrs. J. G. Shea, on Haworth Avenue. The study of Emerson will be renewed. Those desiring to become members are cordially invited to be present.

"IT GOES right to the spot," said an old gentleman, who found great benefit in Ayer's Sarsaparilla. He was right. Derangements of the stomach, liver, and kidneys are more speedily remedied by this medicine than by any other. It reaches the trouble directly.

THE Baptist church was completely filled last night with the exception of the gallery to hear Rev. Dr. Vosburgh's lecture on "The Real Work of "Christianity during the Dark Ages." At least 700 persons were present, and they accorded the speaker the closest attention. His subject next Sunday night will be, "Is Christianity Decaying?"

The Indians Are Coming.

There will be a novel and entertaining game of base ball at the park Thursday, September 6th. The famous Sioux Indian club, which has been playing good ball in various cities, will play the Decatur Reds. The Indians are noted for clever base stealing and hard slugging. Come and see the game.

H. W. DOWNING, Manager.

DURING the absence of Mrs. Einstein Miss Clara McCoy will have full charge of her store. All orders entrusted to her will receive correct and prompt attention. 25-d6

U. R. K. of P.

Regular convention of U. R. K. of P., No. 36. All Sir Knights are requested to be present at the armory in full uniform on Tuesday evening, September 4, at 8 o'clock sharp, for work in rank.

C. M. DUFFEE, S. K. C.

S. B. MOLL, S. K. R.

IF you buy any clothing, inspect Cheap Charley's. daw

SLATE Sponges cheap at Irwin's pharmacy.

A Broken Leg.

Charles M. Fletcher, of Mt. Zion township, Republican member of the county central committee for that district, had the misfortune to fracture his left leg below the knee while handling a bunch of colts on his farm. The colt was fractious and kicked Mr. Fletcher on the leg. Charley is confined to his bed and will be in a crippled condition for several months.

He's Gone.

F. C. Smith, the master mechanic of the Peoria, Decatur & Evansville road, against whom the engineers made a strike last week, has resigned, and C. C. Robinson, foreman of the shops at Mattoon, is now general foreman of the shops and motive power. Smith left for the east in response to a telegram Saturday night. All is smooth running on the road now. Smith will go to Pittsburg.

Death of Wiley Buckles.

Wiley Buckles, a somewhat noted horseman, well known in central Illinois, died at Champaign Saturday of cholera morbus, aged 50 years. He formerly resided at Mt. Pulaski. Mr. Buckles was three times married, his first wife being the daughter of John Phillippe, and who died about twelve years ago. He afterward married Miss Mary Lily, who died a few years after her marriage, leaving one child, a daughter, now about ten years of age. His third wife is a daughter of L. Stevenson, of Thomasboro, and who with one child survives. Mrs. Buckles began proceedings for a divorce a few weeks ago, and since then they have lived apart. Mr. Buckles was a man of generous impulses, but was his own worst enemy.

Consolidation.

The banking firms of C. F. Emery & Co. and Crocker & Co., at Maroa, have consolidated under the new firm name of Crocker, Emery & Co., and in future the entire banking business at Maroa will be carried on in the Emery bank building.

Bert Stewart's Speech.

Saturday night a fair-sized audience gathered at the court house to hear a political talk by Bert Stewart, the Union Labor candidate for congress, who has been endorsed by the Democrats. John Lindsay, local labor committeeman, had full charge of the meeting, introduced the speaker, and then spent the remainder of his time in trying to keep quiet a Democratic disturbing element at the rear of the hall who had been indulging too freely in the liquid element of the Democratic platform. Bert was at a disadvantage because of a serious impediment in his speech, but with the indulgence of his hearers he spoke for nearly two hours, discussing the condition of the laboring classes, the money question, the tariff and the National debt. He grew eloquent when he tackled the Pinkerton detective system, which he assailed in the strongest language he could command. The Democrats in attendance were not enthusiastic over the speech. It was a labor address, with but one slapping mention of Cleveland's name. Stewart is for Hon. A. J. Streeter, the labor nominee, for president.

The Little Nugget.

This laughable comedy will be given at the opera house Friday night by the Sisson & Brady company. The play is bright, whimsical, bizarre and comical, and introduces a number of broadly but cleverly drawn characters that are very nicely sustained. The music produced is charming, the play is clean throughout, and calculated to make one laugh in the most hearty manner. There is a conspiracy, a rescue, a mischievous heroine, a mill explosion, etc. See the "Little Nugget."

East Park Boulevards.

Sales since June 6, 1888:

Jacob C. Houck, lots 5 and 6, block 1, $750.00.

John W. Hendman, lot 1 and east half lot 2, block 2, $437.50.

Russell Waggy, lot 3 and west half lot 2, block 2, $412.50.

David L. Barnett, lot 4, block 2, $275.

Elmer F. Barnett, lot 5, block 2, $275.

Frank P. Zinn, lot 6, block 2, $275.

Finley E. Johnston, lot 7, block 2, $275.

Clarence E. Phillips, lot 8, block 2, $300.

Alex J. White, lot 1, block 3, $350.

Charles Pence, lot 2, block 3, $300.

Charles J. Hockery, lot 3 and east half lot 4, block 3, $350.

James B. Davis, lot 5 and west half of lot 4, block 3, $350.

William Langheld, lot 6 and east half lot 7, block 3, $350.

George H. Bashford, lot 8 and west half lot 7, block 3, $300.

William F. Murphy, lot 9 and west half lot 10, block 3, $437.50.

Mrs. Bashford, lot 12, block 3, $275.

John T. Owens, lots 13 and 14, block 3, $550.

Edward D. Recox, lot 16, block 3, $300.

A. N. McWhorter, lot 1, block 4, $350.

Lendy Martin, lot 2, block 4, $300.

George D. Houck, lot 3, block 4, $275.

Jack Tyrrell, lot 6 and east half lot 5, block 4, $437.50.

Lucius R. Hart, lot 1 and east half lot 2, block 5, $437.50.

Clint Haag, lot 3 and west half lot 2, block 5, $412.50.

James H. Cantwell, lot 1 and east half lot 2, block 6, $437.50.

Alonzo W. Gray, lot 3 and west half lot 2, block 6, $412.50.

Lew Bartholomew, lots 15 and 16, block 6, $575.

William Lines, lot 9 and west half lot 10, block 3, $437.50.

Hugh B. Nelson, lots 13 and 14, block 8, $550.

Henry B. Hadsell, lots 14 and 15, block 10, $300.

Charles Walser, lot 8, block 10, $300.

Richard V. Fitzpatrick, lot 10, block 10, $200.

Frank McKinley, lot 11, block 10, $200.

Lorenzo Goolsby, lot 12, block 10, $200.

William R. Peaster, lots 3 and 4, block 10, $500.

William E. Green, lots 5 and 6, block 10, $500.

John Wallett, lot 13, block 10, $200.

Joseph H. Condon, lot 14, block 10, $200.

Charles D. Robinson, lot 15, block 10, $200.

William L. Pierce, lot 1 and east half lot 2, block 12, $425.

Harry G. Potts, lot 3 and west half lot 2, block 12, $375.

Lots 11, 14 and 16, block 1, and lot 15, block 3 were sold at auction April 25. Options are now pending on quite a number of lots and sales made almost daily. Over thirty houses have been, or will be, erected by November 1, 1888.

"CHRISTIANITY in the Dark Ages" was discussed last evening at the First Baptist church by Rev. Vosburgh. Beginning with Christ's advent the preacher followed the course of christianity for 250 years, drawing vivid pictures of the age when christianity was struggling with ignorance and corruption, and paying eulogistic tribute to the grand characters who contributed to its preservation and glorious vindication. The large and beautiful auditorium was filled by the intelligent, thinking people of the city, who always go to hear the lectures of the young and brilliant minister, and all were delighted. Next Sunday night Dr. Vosburgh will deliver another lecture, a sequel to the last two.

TO TURN gray hair to its natural color and beauty, use Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Restorer, the best and most reliable preparation science has given us.

HOYT & FORD'S Ladies' Fine Shoes always satisfactory. New goods every day at Ferriss & Lapham's. sep3-tf

Republican Primaries.

The Republican primary meeting for Maroa township was held Saturday afternoon when by resolution the delegates were instructed for Hon. D. P. Keller, of Macon, for representative and E. McClellan, of Decatur, for circuit clerk. The delegates are William Phares, L. Wikoff, J. H. Parker and E. Foulke.

The Republican primary was held at Mt. Zion Saturday night, when the voters gave instructions for Keller for representative, McClellan for circuit clerk, and Mills for state's attorney. The delegates are Sylvester Bilby, N. J. Black and Jerome Cox.

John Cassell and William Dingman are the delegates from Niantic township. They are understood to be for McClellan for clerk.

The Wheatland delegates are for McClellan.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Arthur Race spent Sunday in Chicago.

NEW toilet powders at Irwin's pharmacy.

Mrs. Kate Einstein returned Sunday morning from Louisville and Cincinnati.

Col. and Mrs. D. H. Conklin are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cherry, of Chicago.

Miss Flora Smith returned to Bloomington Saturday. She had been here on a visit to her sister, Mrs. W. H. Davis.

W. R. Whitley and wife, of Harristown, were guests of H. F. Dillehunt over Sunday.

Misses Anna Henkle and Ruth Hammer aided J. E. Sexton to-day in exchanging books for the school children.

Sadie and Arthur Dean, who have been visiting I. N. Cool and family, have returned to their home at Prospect Park, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Ballard, of St. Louis, have been guests of J. A. Swearingen and family. Mr. B. is a leading druggist of the Future Great.

Wm. M. Boyd, who is home from his trip to California, says there is considerable resemblance between that section and Virginia, especially in the way of hills and mountains.

Mrs. Lillie Condell, of St. Louis, who has been making a tour of the eastern summer resorts for several weeks, spending most of the time at Martha's Vineyard, off Newport, is in the city visiting relatives *en route* for home.

Mrs. C. B. Moore and daughter left Sunday night for Honolulu, Sandwich Islands, to join her husband, who is to be stationed there for six months on his ship, the "Alert." Mrs. Moore will travel five days by rail and eight days by steamer to reach her destination.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Drake are at the Hotel Brunswick, on their way from their home in Douglas county to Nebraska to visit their sons. Mrs. Drake is now the owner of a $10,000 farm of 170 acres near Howe Station in Douglas county, left her by the death of her father. Mrs. D.'s mother died recently.

Dr. Ira N. Barnes arrived home Saturday night from his vacation trip to California and through National Park. Mrs. Barnes and Lynn are now on their way home. Lynn was taken ill with typhoid fever on his arrival at San Francisco, but has recovered. Dr. Barnes is attending to his professional duties. He is eloquent in his graphic description of the great west.

Dick Peake received a letter this morning from his father, J. L. Peake, who has been at Hot Springs, Ark., a number of days caring for his brother, Capt. George B. Peake, who is there in a very low state of health. Mr. Peake writes that George is alive and that a barrel of water will be brought to the house to give him regular baths in the hope that he will recover. The family escaped injury from the water spout. J. L. was located where he could see the terror and the damage wrought.

Pensioners

Can have their quarterly vouchers carefully made out and attested by C. R. Spore, Notary Public, Powers' block. d1

A Delegate.

John Donahue, of Decatur, has been elected a delegate to represent the miners of this district at the fourth annual convention of the Miners' and Mine Laborers' Federation, to be held at Indianapolis on Sept. 4th.

THE regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Club will be held at 2 o'clock Wednesday, Sept. 5th, at the Universalist church. All members and those desiring membership, are requested to be present in order that the roll may be completed and work for the year begun promptly. 3-d2

MANY people, are not aware of the dangers of constipation, neglect the proper remedy till the habit becomes chronic, or inflammation or stoppage results. A dose or two of Ayer's Pills in the beginning would have prevented all this.

Prohibition Rally,

AT FARMER CITY, SEPTEMBER 6.

On the above date the I. C. R. R. will sell excursion tickets from Decatur to Farmer City t $1.20 for the round trip, good to return on the 7th. dtd

Dress Making.

Miss Etta Andrews has opened a dressmaking shop at 115 West Wood street. Cutting and fitting a specialty. Satisfaction guaranteed. Ladies are invited to call. s1d1w*

A Call.

All young ladies and misses of Republican proclivities are hereby requested to meet at the Republican Club room in Gallagher block, on Monday, evening September 3, 1888, at 7 p. m., for the purpose of organizing a "Young Ladies Republican Club."

MISS NELLIE REAVIS,
" LULA M. SPORE,
" LAURA M. TULLIS,
Committee.

FOR a wedding present you can find nothing better or more appropriate than an Etching. A lot of new subjects in Remarque and Artist proofs just received at J. H. BEVANS', City Book Store. 28-d1w

Labor Day Celebration at Peoria.

On Monday, Sept. 3d, the P., D. & E. R. R. will sell excursion tickets from Decatur to Peoria at $3.15 for round trip, good to return same day, on account of the above celebration. 27-d6

Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1 p. m. to-day, received by G. C. Caldwell, Secretary Decatur Grain Co.:

WHEAT—95¼ Sep; 95 Oct; 95¼ Dec; 99⅛ May.

CORN—44 Sep; 44 Oct; 39¼ Dec; 39¼ May.

OATS—24 Sep; 24⅛ Oct; 24 Dec; 28½ May.

PORK—$14.42 Sep; $14.50 Oct; $13.65 Jan.

LARD—$9.77 Sep; $9.80 Oct; $8.37 Jan.

RIBS—$8.55 Sep; $8.60 Oct; $7.05 Jan.

Live Stock—Estimated receipts—Hogs 11,000; prospects steady.

Cattle, 14,000; prospects lower.

Car Lots—Wheat: Winter, 207; Spring, 31. Corn, 605. Oats, 271.

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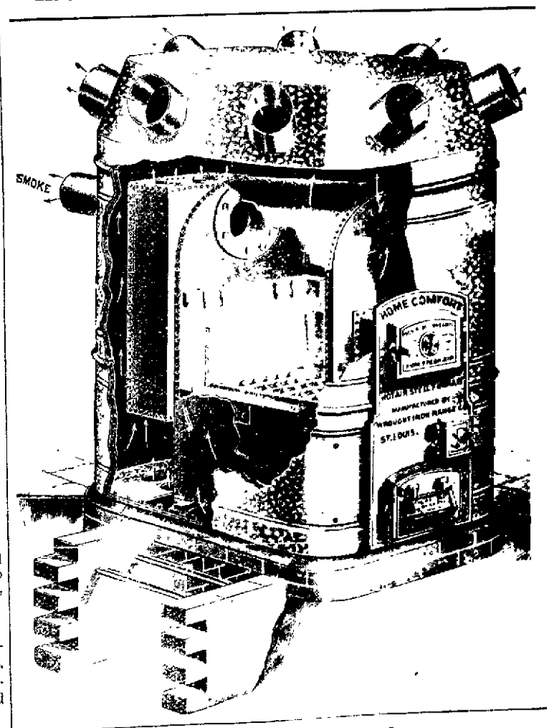

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce Captain William Pearson of Oakley township as a candidate for the Republican Legislative subject to the action of the Republican County Convention.

We are authorized to announce Isaac R. Miller as a candidate for United States Attorney subject to the action of the Republican County Convention.

We are authorized to announce C. F. Clayton as a candidate for County Surveyor subject to the action of the Republican County Convention.

We are authorized to announce Daniel Kechler of Mount Zion as a candidate for Trustee of Schools subject to the action of the Republican primaries.

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We are authorized to announce Dr. J. Ewing as a candidate for Coroner subject to the action of the Republican primaries.

We are authorized to announce Jesse F. Pence as a candidate for Coroner subject to the action of the Republican primaries.

We are authorized to announce Charles D. Hill as a candidate for Circuit Clerk subject to the action of the Republican primaries.

Call for Township Primaries

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Long Spoon for Fourth

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Republican County Convention.

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Long Spoon for Fifth

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HALF FARE EXCURSIONS

Via Frisco Line Railway To All Points in Kansas, Arkansas, Texas and Indian Territory

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plant. Of the bids received from the great merchants and manufacturers of the world it accepted that of Grace & Co. [illegible] was demanded by the firm to supervise the execution of the contract. Knowing little of either mechanics or the Spanish language, he immediately employed expert instructors and devoted all his leisure time while he spent his business hours in selecting and purchasing everything required. He went to Peru on the same vessels as his workmen and freight. When he landed he had a thorough colloquial knowledge of the tongue there spoken and a complete mastery of all the machinery required. He directed the latter in person, set it up himself working alongside of his master mechanics and finishing the affair long before the time demanded by the contract. His work was so well done as to be a nuisance to the easy going Latin community and advertise him and his house to a high degree. He is still actively engaged in the affairs and though worth several millions is as careful and methodical as when he first started in business career. He is a great reader and takes a strong interest in public affairs. He was at one time an habitué of the famous sloop Gracie and lets no opportunity in which he does not pass much of his leisure time upon the water. In private life he is generous to a fault, genial and a good hater for the best in all the relations of life. He is happy.

[illegible] is no pretentious in his home life. He has his large family in great luxury in a modest brown house in a [illegible] square, but his [illegible] residence is Long Island sound at Glen Cove. Some years ago the Scawanaka [illegible] that when sailed between New York and Glen Cove was burned in the East river. Of [illegible] many prominent people [illegible] passengers and the excitement [illegible] were very great.

Among the passengers was Mrs. William R. Grace. She retained her presence of mind and the terrible excitement and danger, and [illegible] a very old gentleman who [illegible] she took off the life preserver he had put on herself, and added him [illegible] to his person. It saved [illegible] and most fortunately Mrs. Grace was rescued. The old gentleman was the Millionaire Durrea of Glen Cove [illegible] who his preserver was [illegible] A Herald reporter [illegible] was and the meeting [illegible] was described as very affecting. Mrs. Grace modestly disclaimed [illegible]

[illegible] Jr. is a capital instance of [illegible] fortune thrust upon [illegible] father was a very rich New York merchant who died some years ago in Wales, England, while abroad upon a pleasure trip. He left his fortune to his wife and two sons. The elder received a liberal education graduating at Columbia College and thereafter at the law school of that university. He started his profession and began as attorney for the estates of the family a business larger and more lucrative than his firm's lawyers. By the death of his mother Mr. Fell's Philadelphia multimillion wealth was still further increased. Upon this windfall, he married Miss Isabel Cers, a daughter of the noted Hunter who commemorated the event by a marriage settlement of five hundred thousand dollars and when a few years after he died his property valued at several millions to his two daughters. Fates is still young, married and not yet having reached his fortieth year. He is still a bachelor rather [illegible] with the quietest manner and [illegible] disposition. He works hard [illegible] or literary pursuits his labors to [illegible] himself. Unlike his young [illegible] a Barry Wall sort of man and a [illegible] of the Brunswick Club [illegible] he is extremely [illegible] mode of living and is seldom seen [illegible] dramatic or political circles. He [illegible] interest in politics or any [illegible] movement of the day but seems [illegible] by the Astor and [illegible] any member of that opulent family [illegible] a great family and a still [illegible] family estate.

Chauncey A. Harrobin is one of the few [illegible] having secured wealth in [illegible] has not been tempted to try with fortune in the maze of Wall street. Coming to this country forty years ago, knowing nothing of its language, customs or [illegible] and is one of many other [illegible] in the humble [illegible] Among the owners in which a restaurant, the [illegible] and man of all work [illegible] finally a porter in Workmeister [illegible] on Broadway. His company [illegible] moments afforded by [illegible] the English grammar [illegible] enabled to [illegible] his native land [illegible] was rapid. He [illegible] until he was [illegible] Workmeisters [illegible] It has [illegible] however such a thoughtful [illegible] of the [illegible] Yearning Hours behind [illegible] the future value of [illegible] At that time it was [illegible] of New York. Later [illegible] Lights [illegible] then he [illegible] the neighborhood New [illegible] crowded on the [illegible] building, the owners [illegible] New York [illegible] of the [illegible] changed a [illegible] William Walter Phelps [illegible] $600 in acre [illegible] Hope and the way [illegible] but [illegible] cent [illegible] continue [illegible] rent [illegible] His wealth is [illegible] between $1,600,000 and $2,000,000. [illegible] a very hard man [illegible] resembling [illegible] Napoleon III. He is a [illegible] literature and has at home [illegible] pictures and a very [illegible] He has a large and [illegible] family [illegible] of these one [illegible] lawyer and writer Fred [illegible] who has already attained [illegible] twin cities that border the [illegible] CHARLES CURTIS

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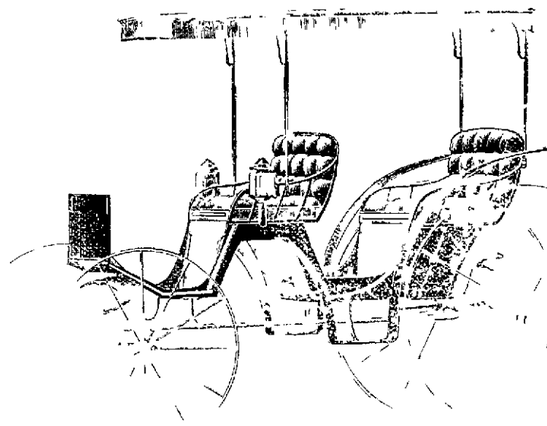

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1 The Editorial Department—This includes managing editors, city editors, telegraph editors, exchange editors, editorial writers, special writers and about thirty reporters. THE DAILY NEWS staff is admittedly without a superior in the West and numbers [illegible] 36

2 The Telegraph Room—Telegraph wires are run into THE DAILY NEWS building, and the paper's own operators take the messages and hand them immediately to the telegraph editor. The number of operators is [illegible]

3 The Compositors Room—When "copy" has passed the hands of the proper revising editor it goes to the type setter. There are a good many of him in THE DAILY NEWS office—on an average [illegible] 75

4 The Linotype Room—But the compositor doesn't do all the type setting. The "Linotype" machine sets type by casting a line of type in one piece, on the same principle as the type founder casts a single type. Fourteen of these machines are now in THE DAILY NEWS office, and the number of persons required in this department is [illegible]

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6 The Stereotype Foundry—The matter—special pictures—being now "locked up" in the forms, the work is next transferred to the foundry. A metropolitan daily no longer prints from its type. In order to print a large edition quickly it is necessary to *multiply the printing surfaces*, and this is accomplished by casting duplicate stereotyped plates from which after they have been fastened to the presses the printing is done. Of stereotypers THE DAILY NEWS requires [illegible] 8

7 The Press Room—THE DAILY NEWS uses six double perfecting presses capable of printing 100,000 complete papers per hour. To run these there are required men to the number of [illegible] 26

8 The Mailing and Delivery Department—The mailers and the delivery clerks handle over [illegible] million papers a week. The force numbers [illegible]

9 The Engine Room—To supply the motive power required to run three boilers of 150 horse power each, and three engines with an aggregate of 2[illegible] horse power. All departments are lighted by the Edison incandescent system, which here comprises three hundred and 500 lamps. The employees of this department number [illegible]

10 The Circulation Department—The paper is now a factor in the business of this city. To develop the market for it [illegible] The number of workers is [illegible] 16

11 The Subscription Room—All the subscriptions from [illegible] of individual readers or wholesale [illegible], pass through this department, and the complaints on the average [illegible] 17

12 The Business Department—The general clerical work of the paper, receiving and caring for the advertisements, over fifteen hundred are received every day—receipts and payments, and bookkeeping of the business. The printing room force [illegible] 27

13 The Care of Building requires the constant service of three janitors. 3

14 The Watchman—To insure perfect protection against fire, two watchmen are constantly on duty. 2

15 The New York Office—This engages the entire time of a general manager and assistant. 2

16 The Washington Bureau—In charge of its own special Washington staff correspondent. 1

17 The Milwaukee Bureau—To facilitate Northwestern news gathering, one man. 1

From which it appears that the number of regular employees is [illegible] 332

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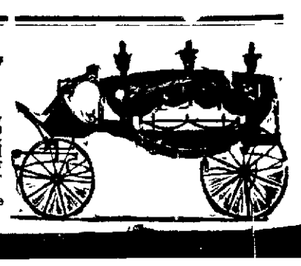

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